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Banks.

NOTICE TYULES OF THE HONGKONG BAVINGS BANK.

The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong, Business hours on week days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3. - Dopositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Bongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest. 4. -- Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on heir daily balances. 62-Each Depositor will be supplied gratis

with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or with drawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the heginning of January and begin-

6 .- Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and Chips. .- Withdrawals may be made on demand. but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent. and the production of his Pass-Book

> are necessary. Por the Horonorg & Sharquai Banking CORPORATION. THOMAS JACKSON.

Chief Manager, Hongkong, May 13 1890.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Parn-up Capital..... \$7,500,000 BESSEVE IMARKINE OF PRO- \$27,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman H. L. DALATMPLE, Baq Deputy Chairman J. S. Mones, Esc. T. R. Davies, Req. | Bon. A. P. McEwen. W. H. FORES, Riq. S. C. MICHARLSEN, H. Hoperus, Esq. Esq.
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(N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:

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LOCAL BRIDE DISCOUPTED. Orediti granted on approved Pecurities. and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the c'iled Commercial places in Europe, Indis, Australia, America, China and Japan.

THOMAS JACKSON Whief Manager, Hongrong May 13 1890

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Y'APPOINTMENT. S. WATSON & Co., Limited.

(ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.)

HONGKONG DISPENSARY HONGKONG.

Wholesale and Retail Druggists. ANALYTICAL. AMILY DISPENSING AND GENERAL CHEMISTS.

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We beg to state that we import Drugs. Chemicals, and Goods of every kind of the best description only-no other quality is kept in

Our long experience and intimate acquaint- inclusive. ance with the Trade, and the best sources of supply, enable us to purchase direct from the Producers on the very best terms, and thus give us an advantage which enables us to offer our constituents the benefit of a considerable reduction in the price of all our Specialties as compared with similar articles sold elsewhere. AB We wish it to be clearly understood that our prices cannot be beaten by any other firm i the Colony: and we trust it will soon become generally known that, quality for quality, our charges all round compare favourably with local rates, and in most instances with

those ruling at home. Experienced qualifie I English Assistants ONLY are employed in the preparation and dispensing of Medicines.

GOODS FOR COAST PORTS. Whenever practicable, are despatched by first steamer leaving after receipt of order. Most articles can now be sent by the local Parcel Post. All retail orders of the value or postage paid. Orders through Local Post or by Telegram receive prompt attention.

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HUNGKONG.

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Canal Road. THE DISPENSARY, FOOCHOW,

THE DISPENSARY, HANKOW. THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN.

LONDON OFFICE. 106. Fenchurch Street, E.C. Hongkong, April 16, 1890. SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED

TAIVIDEND WARRANTS for the Divipuso declared at the Meeting held in Singapore on the 20th April last, ara now ready for delivery, Hongkong Shareholders please apply to the Undersigned for same.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

19th May, 1890. THE TRUST & LOAN COMPANY OF CHINA: JAPAN AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED £1,000,000 RESERVE FUND £40,000

BOARD OF DIRECTORS : WM. KESWICH (Mossrs, Jardine, Matheson & Co. Y. Chairman. ADOLF VON ANDRE (Mesers: André, Mendel

Ecbert Iveson (Mesers, Iveson & Co.) DAVID McLEAN (Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation). WYLLYS POMEROY (Messrs. Russell & Co.) F. D. Sassoon (late Measrs. David Sassoon H. D. STEWART (Mesers, Stewart, Thomson

& Co.) HONGKONG COMMITTEE

H. Fornes (Messrs, Russell & Co.). Chairman. Hop. J. J. Krawick (Mesare Jardino, Matheson & Co.) Hop. C. P. CHATER.

This Company is now prepared to make Loans or advances upon all kinds of Goods and upon approved Securities; and to transact the business provided for in the Memo-random of Association.

For information, terms of business, ecc.,

DE WESTLEY LAYTON. Vigierie Buildings, Queen's Road. Hongkong, May 5, 1890

Intimations.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

TNFORMATION has been Received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that INFANTRY FIELD FIRING, from the beach at Lyemun, the objects being Floating Targets, will take place on THURS. DAY NEXT, the 22nd Instant, between the hours of 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. All Suips, Junks and other Vessus, are CAUTIONED to keep clear of the Range.

By Command, W. M. DEANE. Acting Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

Hongkong, May 17, 1890 AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that the Or-SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at its OFFICE over the Hongkong Dispensary, on SATURDAY, the 24th Inst., all kinds suitable for Amateurs and Profes- at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the sionals, at Moderate Prices. Report of the General Manager, together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st-December, 1889.

The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 22nd Inst., to MONDAY, the 26th Instant, both days HENRY HUMPHREYS,

Secretary.

Hongkong, May 17, 1890. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

HONGKONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION, Matter of the Estate of FREDERICK STEWART, late Colonial Secretary

of Victoria, Hongkong, Deceased.

ATOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Acting Chief Justice has, by virtue of Section 3 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1870 made an Order limiting the time to the 1st day of August next, for Oreditors to send in their CLAIMS against the Estate of the late FREDERICK STEWART, who died on the 29th day of September, 18-9, at Victoria aforesaid, and Probate of whose Will was on the 1st day of November, 1889 of five dollars and upwards are sent freight granted by this Honourable Court to Jose MARIA GUTIERREZ, the Executor named in the Will of the said deceased. And Notice is also given that all such Claims are to be sent in in writing to the Undersigned on or before the said 1st DAY OF AUGUST NEXT,

or notice will not be taken of them. All Persons INDEBTED to the above Estate are requested to make immediate Payment to the Undersigned. Dated the 14th day of May, 1890.

Solicitors for the said JOHE MARIA GUTIERREZ. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

CALDWELL & WILKINSON,

NOTICE is heroby given that A SPECIAL or EXTRAORDI ARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of this Company will be held at the CITY HALL. Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 31st day satisfaction. of May next, at Noon, for the purpose of considering, and if approved, of passing the following Resolutions :-

1-That the Capital of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation be inoressed from \$7,510,000 to \$10,000,000 of \$125, to be issued at the price of £42 10s. Bastern Shareholders to pay for their allotments at the current rate of the day for Demand Bills on

That the said New Shares be in the first instance, in such manner as the Directors shall prescribe for that purpose, 014 offered to the Shareholders in the proportion of one New Share for every three Shares of which on the 31st May. 1890, they shall respectively be the Registered Holders, and that any New. Shares not accepted by the Shareholders within the time limited by the Directors for that purp se, be disposed of and allotted by the Directors in such manner and at such price as in their discretion they shall think best in the interest of the Company. That payment of the sum of £42 10s. per share for each of the said New Shares be made as follows, viz :--, 31st , Dec., £10 12s. 6d. That the Directors issue to Shareholders

£10 12s, 6d, on the 30th of June, 1890 £10 12s. 6d. ,, 30th ,, Sept., ,, £10 12s 6d. 31st . March, 1891 bolding shares not a multiple of Three a Fractional certificate in respect of each share in excess of or below such multiple, and allot one new share to every person who shall produce three such Fractional Certificates on or before the 3 th June, 1890, and pay the first. instalment in respect thereof. 5—That after payment of the first instalment

and pending payment of the future instalments, Sorip Certificates in such form as the Directors may determine | SHARES in the above Company on Scrip Certificates respectively.

per snaam (free of income tax) be allowed out of the profits of the Company on all instalments paid in advance for the forfeiture of the said Shares, of the dates when the same become due and that from the 20th June, 180) Holders of Sorio Certificates be entitled to participate in future dividends, in proportion to the amount of instalments paid up, on an equality with the other Shareholders of the Company

That interest at the rate of B per cent. per annum be charged on every instalment which shall not be punctually paid and os paid with such instal-

That all money's received from pramiums on the said New Shares be added the Reserve Pute For the HONGRONG AND SHANGHAL

WADE GARDNER, " Acting Chap Manager. Hongkong, April 6, 1800.

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Business Notices.

FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL NOTICE

HAVE JUST RECEIVED THEIR

DIRST DELIVERIES OF LACE and COLOURED CURTAINS AND "ART? MUSLINS FOR SUMMER USE, which they are offering at Extraordinary NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS, One Thousand Pairs to Select from, from

\$2.00 per Pair. A Splendid Selection of ART MUSLINS, from 20 Cents per Yard :- Any Muslin CURTAINS, ELEUTRIC UHOSS STRIPED, CURTAINS, FRIED CURTAINS, THE "PORTLAND" CURTAIN, colored, THE "KENSINGFON" CURTAIN.

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&c., &c., &c. A New Shipment of BRASS and IRON BEDSTEADS and SPRING MATTRESSES dinary General MEETING of the Every description of Household Furniture : Estimates and Designs free.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Complete House Increishers. Hongkong, April 26, 1890.

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SUMMER DRESS MATERIALS. WHITE AND COLOUBED.

LADIES AND CHILDREN'S PITH HATS. W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, May 13, 1820. MIOtel, Victoria

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkon IIIIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office). Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horers in the place. ROOMS are enacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most

comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East, The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD

and Shoring Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoker.

Messra. DORABJEE & HING KEE. Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

MARITHE HOLET, HIE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, that

he will OPEN the MARINE HOTEL, on or about the 1st May. THIS FIRST-OLASS HOTEL Is situated on the Praya, West, opposite the OLD P. & O. WHARF, and is newly built after the designs of the Largest EUROPEAN HOTELS-the BEDROOMS, BATH-ROOMS, &c., are commodique, well Ventilated and well Furnished, and are suitable for Single or Married Persons. The DINING ROOM is large and looks on the Harbour.

The TABLE D'HOTE will be supplied with the best the market can provide The BAR and BILLIARD ROOMS are on the Ground Floor, and will be litted in superior style. * NGLISH AND AMERICAN TABLES. WINES and LIQUORS of the best qualities and Brands only will be supplied. The Undersigned therefore bega the patronage of the Public, hoping to give every

JAS. EDWARDS, Proprietor. STOCK-TAKING SALE.

REDUCED PRICES. FOR CASH ONLY. PROPICAL TWEED COATS & PANTS, \$13.50. DRESS SUITS, from

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WATERPROOF COATS & INVERNESS CAPES, from \$5. LEGGINGS & OVER SHOES. ENGLISH MADE BOOTS & SHOES.

UMBRELLIS, SUMMER UNDERCLOTHING in all Meterials, HANDKERCHIEFS, &c., &c., &c.,

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC

COMPANY, LIMITED. OTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General MEETING of

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Honekong Horel on SATURDAY, The 21th Instant, at Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th April, 189). The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 12th,

to SATURDAY, the 24th Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, CHAS. F. HARTON. Acting Secretary.

Uongkonr, May 8, 1800

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY LIMITED. ATOTICE is hereby given to Holdens of

be isaucdin respect of such New Shares, which the Call of (84) Four Dollars per entitling the Holders on payment of share due 16th November, 1889, is still the remaining instalments, and subject unpaid, that noless the said Call, with INto such other terms as to approval, date TEREST at the Rate of 12 Pen Cent. per for lodging Scrip Certificates, and Annum from the due date, he PAID on on otherwise as the Directors may often BEFORE THE SIST TAY OF MAY NEXT, at the scribe, to be registered as the Holders Company's Offices, 6, Ice House Lane, of the Shares represented by such the Shares in respect of which such Cal Scrip Certificates respectively. was made will be liable to be forfeited, and -That interest at the rate of 5 per cont. under the Provisions of Article X Sub-acction VIII of the Articles of Association, the Board will pass the necessary Resolutions

> By Order of the Board of Directors, CHAS. F. HARTON, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, May 15, 1880.

PEAR HOTEL AND TRADING

COMPANY, LIMITED. TOTIOR is hereby given that the Park Horet & Teading Company, Limited, will NOT, on or after the 1st day of May, 189), be ANSWERABLE for or Pay any Dents or Accoust onless the orders for the supplies be signed by the Secretary to the Company for the time being. By Order of the Board of Directors.

J. WHEELEY. Dated 21st April, 1897,

Intimations. THE HONGKONG

LAND INVESTMENT AND

ROBERT LANG & Co.

AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL,.....\$5,000,000 PAID-UP CAPITAL,.......... 2,500,000 RESERVE FUND,..... 1,250,000

Board of Directors : Hon, J. J. KESWICK. CHAIRMAN, Managing HON. C. P. CHATER. Directors. VICE-CHARMAN. LEE SING, Esq. S. O. MICHAELSEN, Esq. J. S. MOSES, Esq.

G. E. NOBLE, Esq.

POON PONG. Esq. D. R. SASSOON, Esq. Bankers THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

NATONEY ADVANCED OR MORTGAGE, W on LAND or BUILDINGS; PROPERTIES PURCHASED AND SOLD. Estates managed, an | all kinds of Agency

BANKING CORPORATION.

to land, &c., conducted. Full Particulars can be obtained at the Company's Orrious, No. 5, Queen's Road A SHELTON-HOOPER,

and Commission Business relating

Secretary. Victoria Buildings, Hongkong, 3rd May, 1889,

Notices of Firms.

THE TRUST & LOAN COMPANY OF CHIMA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

MR. DE WESTLEWEATTON has been Mappointed Sagarvis at the Company's Branch Office in Hotgaong. By Order of the Board of Directors, - We H. FORBIS. Chairman of Hongkony Committee. Hongkong, May 3, 1890.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY.

HE Undersigned has received instructions to Soll by Public Auction, (Unless previously disposed of by Private Contract);

SATURDAY.

the 24th of May, 1890, at 4.30 p.m., on the

Ground,— RURAL BUILDING LOT 1. Situate on Mount Gough, the Peak; Area 258, 589 square feet, Annual Crown Rent, \$88.00; commanding on the Northside a splendid view of Victoria Harbour and Kowloon, and on the Southside a view of Little Hongkong and out to Sea. There is now on the Lot a 6-ROOMED BUNGALOW called Brockhurst, with GARDEN and LAWN TENNIS GROUND at-The Property will be put up in 6 Lots, so

Extremely Small. For Conditions of Sale and Plans, apply Messra. DENNYS & MOSSOP. No. 49 & 51, Queen's Road Central

Mossrs. DANBY, LEIGH & ORANGE,

Praya Central;

that the Crown Rent for each Lot will be

or to G. R. LAMMERT. Auctioneer. Duddell Street.

For Sale.

Hongkong, May 15, 1890.

Apply to

FOR SALE. SEMI-GRAND PIANO, by COLLARD & COLLARD. Made expressly for the

Hongkong, April 29, 1890. FOR SALE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

AT THE PEAK. THE FALLS on R. B. L. No. 28. A Well-built Six-ROOMED HOUSE. at present let on Lease for one year.

For full Particulars, apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd. Hongkong, November 12, 1889.

Shipping.

Steamers.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND

YOKOHAMA. The Co.'s Steamship Calidonien. Captain Paul, will Ports on or about WEDNESDAY, the 21st

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, May 19, 1890.

eastern and australian

STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS

LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND. TASMANIA, &c.) The Steamship Menmuir.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, May 13, 1890. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG.

(Taking Carso at through rates to

ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER

DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.) The Steamahip

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY

LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co.'s Steamship

The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First class Saloon and Cabine are altuated forward of the Engines Second-class Passengers are berthed in the

For Praight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Shipping.

P. & O. B. N. Co.'s Office.

Steamers.

STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY.

(Calling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship will leave for the above

places on FRIDAY, the 23rd Instant, at Daylight. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent.

Hongkong, May 13, 1620. COLAN STRAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

The Co.'s Stenmship Captain Asquith, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 27th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, May 14, 1890.

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Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship William H. Mucu. AINSBURY, Master, will load

will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

here for the above l'ort, and

Hongkong, March 12, 1890. FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Barque Putagonia. HIBBERT, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

798 have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Notices to Consignees.

Hongkong, April 5, 1890.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. PEMRROKESHIRE, FROM

PENANG AND SINGAPORE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kow-LOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., at Kowloon. whence and/or from the Wharves delivery

HAMBURG. ANTWERP, LONDON.

may be obtained. This Steamer has Corgo or Palitana at CALCUTTA and ex Rursen at RANGOON. Optional Cargo will be forwarded un less notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-MORROW. No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all

Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd

Instant will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be. presented to the Undersigned on or before the 2 rd Instant, or they will not be re-No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Hougkong, May 16, 1890.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES STEAMSHIP NECKAR. FROM BREMEN AND PORTS

OF CALL. /11HE above-named Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the excepbe | tion of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into Ports on MONDAY, the 20th Instant, at the Godowns of the Honoroxu and Kow-LOOR WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY, LID. Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. OPTIONAL CARGO WILL BY OIL to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-Day, the loth Inst. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd Instant will be subject to rent. All broken, chaied, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on WENDESDAY, the 21st Instant, at 4 p.m. All Claims most reach us before the 22nd

> Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co. Hougkong, May 16, 1810.

Instant, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS STEAMSHIP APGRAN, FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL

PENANG & SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are informed Li that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the KOWLOON WHARP & GOBOWN COY, ME Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded inclease quales to the contrary be given before t p.m. To-day: No Ulaims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowps: shid all Coods remaining after the 22nd loss will be sufficient All Charles begins to the Charles of the Charles

the 2/200 Tastant of they will not be so No Pire Insurance has been affected Bills of Leeling will be occurrengued by ADAMSON, BETT & Co.

Hongroup May 18, 1893.

Capt. E. CHRISTIANSEN, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 27th Instant. at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to MOGUL STEAMSHIP COMPANY SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents. Hoogkong, May 17, 1890.

J. E. WILLIAMS, Com- K mander, will be despatched the 3.4h Instant at Daylight

Foot: A Metrigerating Chamber smarrer the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire royage. A duly qualified Surgeon is

Hongkong, May 14, 1890.

CLEARED.

PASSENGERS.

Saunders and Billinghurst, and 360 Chinese.

Per Sikh, from Sourabaya, Mr W.

Per N. S. de Loreto, from Amoy, 3 Chi-

Per Kungpai, from Newchwang, Mi

Per Port Jackson, from Saigon, 13 Chi-

Per Thibet, from Singapore, 150 Chinese.

Per Moskiva, from Odessa, 80il Soldiers.

Per Achilles, for Singapore, 157 Chinese,

kong, Mr C. Dalal, Mrs Webster and amah.

Mrs Gray infant and amah, Mr Williams,

Dr Happer, Miss T. Moule, Mr E. Shepherd,

Miss H. Noyes, Miss A. Butler, Mr Taylor,

Mr and Mrs Ah Foo, Mr and Mrs Senna

Fernandez and family, Major Amancio

d'Alpan, Misses Hayley, Linton, Baber,

Clements. Roberts and Gibbert, Mr Lahore-

mull. Mr Hudson's 2 servants, and 28 Chi-

nese; for Saigon, Messra Olivier, Geogh

Geo, C. Auba, Mr Hayter's servant, A.

carilla (French Vicar-General), Abbé Meu-

Per Almora, from Amoy, 63 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

Per A bany for Saigon, 12 Chiness.

Per Cicero, for Saigon, 12 Chinese.

TO DEPART.

Per Dardames, for Amoy, 200 Chinese.

"SHIPPING REPORTS.

The German sleamer Tritos reports :

Had fine weather, with moderate winds.

This morning at 7 a.m., passed a wreck, 5

The British steamer Achilles reports :

Sailed from Glasg- w March 26th, and from

Liverpool April 4th, arrived at Port Said

17th, and left Suez 18th April; arrived at

Penang May 6th, and left again 10th; arri-

ved Singapore 12th, and departed May 14th

The British steamer Kong Beng reports

Had fine weather and light South-Easterly

EXPORT CARGOES.

Por P. & O. str. Canton, sailed 2nd May

For London, 1,000 bales Hemp from

Manila, and 25 pkgs. Sundries; for New

Per P. & O S. S. Thames, sailed 15th

May:-For London, 200 bales Hemp and 20

cases Shells, from Manila, 3 "cases Silk Piece

Goods, 71 pkgs. Sundrice, 1,509 boxes Tea,

containing 31,226 fbs. Congou, 8,357 boxes

Ten, containing 175,077 lbs. Scented Caper,

262 boxes Tes, containing b 502 lbs. Scented

Orange Pekoe, and 100 boxes Ten, contain-

ing 2,100 fbs. Sorts. For Continent, 21

cases Silk Piece Goods, 188 bales Raw Silk

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Per Tongshan, at 1.30 p.m., on Wednes-

Per Sandakan, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday,

For Kobe, Yokohama & San Fran-

Per ('ceanie, at 0,30 p.m., on Thursday,

fine weather and smooth water-

peans, and 120 Chinese.

weather throughout.

winds throughout.

York, 11 | kgs. Sandries.

and 8 pkgs. Chinaware, &c.

MAILS will close:-

day, the 21st inst.

the 22nd ins. For STRAITS & BUMBAY. --

22nd inst

BOURNE -

the 26th inst

For SANDAKAN. -

the 21et inst.

For SWATOW & SINGAPORE -

miles S.W. from Gap Rock.

Mr Fraser-Smith.

H. Tautaui.

Per Oceanien, from Shanghai : for Hong-

Hongkong, for Haiphong. Dardanus, for Amoy and Shanghai.

Nierstein, for Chefoo.

Amigo, for Saigon.

Glenearn, for Saigen.

Andrew, and 25 Chinese.

good example in being present, and it is a

To Let.

TO LET TIOUSES Nos. 2 & 3, 'CAMERON VIL-LAS, PEAR. Gas laid on. One Spacious Five-Roomed HOUSE at MOUNT KELLETT, Peak. Gus laid on. HOUSES Nos. 5 & 6, DES VIEUX VIL-LAS, MOUNT KELLETT, Peak. Gas laid on. HOUSES Nos. 2, 17, 20, 22 & 23, Belilios Terrace,' Robinson Road, The BUNGALOW, 'DELMAR,' on Kowloon Farm Lot 1, Yow-ma-ti, with large

Garden and Tennis Ground. Apply to BELILIOS & Co.

Hongkong, May 15, 1890.

TO LET. ONE Large ROOM on the GROUND FLOOR of No. 13, Prays Central. Suitable for an Office, Apply to

G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central Hongkong, March 28, 1890.

TO LET.

THE HOUSE No. 1, MAGDALEN TER-BACE, Magazine Gap, lately in occupation of Mr. LIND. Rent, \$100 a month. JOHN J. FRANCIS.

Hongkong, May 14, 1890.

TO LET.

TO OOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS.' No. 9. SEYMOUR TERRACE. 'STONEHENGE,' ROBINSON ROAD, from let May.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1890.

TO LET.

TST FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 15, PRAYA CENTRAL. 2nd FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 64, Queen's Glasses, &c., &c., &c. ROAD CENTRAL Apply to

LAI HING & Co., No. 153, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, March 21, 1890.

TO LET. NO. 3. MORRISON HILL

Entry, 1st June.

Apply to. G. C. ANDERSON,

-13. Praya-Central-Hongkong, April 22, 1890.

To-day's Advertisements. OCEAN STRAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship Dardanus, Captain Purdy, will be THURSDAY, the 22nd Inst., at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, May 20, 1890.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR YOROHAMA, KOBE AND Nagasaki.

The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Anderson, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 22nd Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passago, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkong, May 20, 1890.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co.'s Steamship Captain Lawrs, will be

Ports on FRIDAY, the 23rd Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, May 20, 1890.

STEAM TO MANILA VIA AMOY. The Steamship

Nanzina. Captain Talbor, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 24th Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, May 20, 1890.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY, the 24th May, 1890, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,—

PROPERTY OF A GENTLEMAN GIVING UP HOUSE KEEPING, comprising: ENGLISH-MADE TAPESTBY-COVERED DRAWing-room Suite.

OVAL CENTRE TABLE, CARD and TEA. TABLES, CHIMNEY GLASSES, PICTURES and GLASS BOOK CASE. ENGERH-MADE MAROGENY MORROCCO-COVERED DINING-BOOM SUITE. CARPETS

and HEARTH RUGS. DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD with GLASS BACK. WHATNOTS; DINNER, DESSERT and TRA SERVICES; GLASS and PLATED WARE, DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEAD with WIRESPRING MATTRESS, IRON COTS, WARDROBES, WARD-BOBE WITH PLATE GLASS DOOR, CHEST OF DRAWERS, Toller Table and Glass and

MARBLE-TOP WASHITAND. 1 SEWING MACHINE and Brand. A FEW VOLUMES OF NATIONAL POLICE GARBITE.

TERMS OF SALE .- As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

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Hongkong, May 20, 1890

To-day's Advertisements.



OITY HALL.

The Renowned and only HUDSON'S DURPRISE L'ARTY The Donators of Mirth and Music. one MORE PERFORMANCE IN

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

HONGKONG, TO-MORROW EVENING. Wednesday, the 21st May, 1890.

There will be a MONSTER PROGRAMME Introducing The Soul of Humour, The Piquancy of Wit, The Acme of Human Taste, The Spice of Novelty, The Charm of Song, Perfection of Dancing, &c., &c., &c.

Admission \$2 and \$1. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform half-price. Reserved Seats at Kelly & Walsh.

Doors Open 8.15. Smiling begins 9 p.m. THOS. P. HUDSON.

Propreitor & Manager. Hongkong, May 20, 1890.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction,

TO-MORROW, the 21st-May, 1890, at-2:30-p.m.-sharp, at their Sale Rooms, 68, Queen's Road Central,

A QUANTITY OF . HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

comprising :-DRAWING ROOM SUITS, DINING TABLES, SIDEBOARDS, WHATKOTS, DOUBLE IRON BED-STEADS with SPRING MATTRESS, BLACKWOOD CARVED TABLES, WRITING DESKS, WASH-ING STANDS, CHIMNEY GLASSES, LOOKING

A QUANTITY OF CROCKERY WARE, BREAK FAST SERVICES and SUNDRY OTHER GOODS. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery. APCAR BROTHERS,

Auctioneers. -Hongkong, May 20, 1890.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

ITHE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on THURSDAY. the 22nd May, 1890, commencing at 2.30

p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street,-THE UNDERMENTIONED GOODS, Salved from the late Fire of the 19th May, from Messrs. W. POWELL & Co.'s Premises,

(More or less water damaged only), LACE CURTAINS, COUNTERPANES, QUILTS, FINE WHITE and COLOURED BLANKETS, JAPANESE ENIB, SILK and EIDER DOWN QUILTS, TOWELLING, CRETONNES, BUNTING, DRESS MATERIALS, LINING, MUSQUITO NETS, LADY'S, GENT'S and CHILDREN'S BOOTS and SHOES, CARPETS, RUGS, COIR and FANCY MATTING, FLOOR and TABLE OIL CLOTH. FURNITURE SCREENS, TRAVELLING TRUNKS, PERAMBULATORS, and a variety of other

ETC., ETC., TERMS OF SALE. - Cash on delivery.

> G. R. LAMMERT Auctioneer.

PUBLIC AUCTION

Hongkong, May 20, 1890.

FURNITURE, PIANO, &c, &c.

WELL SEASONED HOUSEROLD HR Undersigned has received instruc-

tions to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY. the 31st May, 1890, commencing at 3.30

p.m., at 'Brockhurst' the Peak, the residence of H. L. DENNYS, Esq.,-THE WHOLE OF HIS WELL SEASONED

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, LIVINGSTON & Co. Which was made expressly for the Peak, comprising :--TAPESTRY COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, G. MORRIS.

CHEFFORIER, COTTAGE PIANO by CRAMER, CENTRE MARBLE-TOP BLACKWOOD TABLES WHATNOTS, PICTURES, ORNANDATS, CUR-TAINS, FENDERS, etc. DINING ROOM FUNRAITURE, GLASS CRO-

CKERY WARE, etc. IRON BEDSTEADS with PATENT SPRING SWIRE. MATTRESSES, WARDROBES, MARBLE-TOP WAS-HINGSTANDS, and DRESSING TABLES, etc., etc. AMERICAN COOKING STOVE, etc.

Oatalogues will be issued prior to Sile, and the above will be on view on Thursday, Co. the 29th Instant. G. R. LAMMERT.

Auctioneer. Hongkong, May 20, 1890.

AKIN BROTHERS OF CHINA LIMITED. DISPENSING CHEMISTS.

DAKIN'S EFFERVESCENT SALINE POWDER. Is cooling, refreshing, and invigorating. It relieves all stomach derangements. It relieves headache and sickness. It allays febrile symptoms.

It quenches thirst. 75 cents per Bottle. DAKIN'S IODIZED EXTRACT OF SARSAPRILLA. Purifies the Blood, Removes Skin Erup-

Strengthens the System. Is of special benefit to those suffering from the Enervating Effects of the olimate. 81.50 per Bettis. -

DAKIN'S VIN DE QUINQUINA. This Wine will be found of great value Darra, for Port Townsend. as a Tonic in all cases where the system is Arethus, for Haiphony. depressed or where there is the slightest | Nantes Le Havre, for Bangkok. tendency to Malaria or Climatic Debility. It is prepared from the true Bark in Diamante, for Amoy and Manila. combination with our Finest Port Wine, Taideour for Whampon and is an admirable form of administering at the same time the appetizing properties P. N. Blandard, for New York. of the Bark with the strengthening qualities | Pembrokeshire, for Nagasaki. of the Port.

Price, \$1.50 per Bottle.

TELEPHONE No. 69. Nos. 22 & 24. QUEEN'S ROAD 926 Citero, for Saigon CENTRAL

Business Notices.

(LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COY, LTD.)

LADIES' AND OHILDREN'S SUMMER

HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY, LD (LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO. OPERATIVE COY., LTD.)

To-day's Advertisements.

THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

ATOTIOE is hereby given that the SHARES Numbered 484, 611, 612 613, 14, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 1225, 1226, 1229 and 1230 in this Company were THIS DAY FORFEITED. MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, May 20, 1890.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. THE Monthly COMPETITION for the FAKI CHALLENGE OUP will be held on SATURDAY NEXT, 24th Inst., at 200 Yards standing, 300 Yards

sitting or kneeling. 7 Shots at each. Entrance Fee, 30 Cents. C. VIVIAN LADDS,

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, May 20, 1890.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for Bichler, Mrs Hersmann, Abbe Masany Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during gnot, Mg. C. Vie (Vicar-Apostolic), Mr A. Guerin, Rov. H. C. du Bose, and Mr J. D. their stay in Honghong Harbour:-C. C. CHAPMAN, American ship, Capt. A J. Hickborn Tong Sang Wo.

CAMELOT, British barque, Capt. Jas. P. Murphy. - Tilman & Co. D. T. ! /NEY. American ship, Capt. D. | Mulder. E. Rodick.-Gibb, Livingston & Co. Williams, and 45 Chinese. GEORGIETTA, American barque, Capt. F. Kasters,-Wieler & Co.

SENATOR, British ship, Capt. H. H. Mc-Kenzie. - Order. STATE OF MAINE, American ship, Capt. E. D. P. Nickels. - Master,

WM. H. MACY, American ship, Capt. J. A. Amsbury.—Order.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

May 18 1890 .-Aspic, French gunboat, from Canton. Vipere, French gunboat, from Canton. Watatah, British barque, from Whampoa. Taisang, British steamer, from Whamp in. Kucang Lee, Chinese str., from Whampoa. Dardanus, British steamer, 1,507, T. urdy, Liverpool April 6, and Singapore Pon Pay Chang, Hen King Shan, Mr and The above will be on view on Thursday | May 12, General. - BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. N. S. de Loreto, Spanish steamer, 535, D. Juan Ajubita, Amoy May 14, General. BAN MOH & Co.

Mr Rear Admiral von Valois. Sikh, British steamer, 1,735, Rowley, Sourabaya May 11, Sugar. - ADAMSON, BELL

Kung-pui, Chinese steamer, 620, C. H Clifford, Newchwang and Chefoo May 10; Beans, - C. M. S. N. Co.

Port Jackson, British steamer, 2,200, J. R. Huddy, Saigon May 14, Rice.-SIRMS-SEN & CO. Merco, German steamer, 657, W. Peter-

Bun, Hamburg March 23, General. - Signs-May 19 :--Tarapaca, British barque, 496, H. Ken-

nett. Sandakan April 20, Timber. - GIBB, Taicheong, German steamer, 822, P. Dulme, Newchwang May 12, Beans. -A.

Nierstein, German str., from Whampoa. Thibet, British ateamer, 1,665, W. Brown, Bombay May 2, and Singapore 13, General. —P. & O. S. N. Co. → Jason, British steamer, 1,411, Milligan, Nagasaki May 14, Coal. - Butterfield &

Moskova, Rossian steamer, 2,244, Radlow, Odessa April 19, General. - ORDER. Tritos, German str., 1,346, L. Iwersen, Bangkok May 13, Rice. - Siemssen & Co. Asagae, Japanese str., 1,521, H. Selck, Nagasaki May 14, Coal .- TAKASIMA COAL

May 20 :---Achilles, British steamer, 1,480, Charles Anderson, Glasgow via Liverpool March 26. General.—Bufterfield & Swire. Oceanien, French steamer, 2,127, A. Poydenot, Shanghai May 22, Mails and General -Messageries Maritimes. Kong Beng, British steamer, 862. Jones, Bangkok May 11, General-Yuen

Falkenburg, German str., 938, J. Bartels, Saigon May 16, Rice and Paddy. -MELсивня & Со. Almora, British steamer, 1,719. Grier, Amoy May 19, Coneral. - JARDINE, MATHE-

DEPARTURES. May 18 -Sophie, German gunboat, for Amoy. Kungpai, for Whampos. Mcejoo, for Shanghai. . . Johann, for Hoihow. Presto, for Hoihow and Touron. Ghazee, for Nagazaki.

BON & Co.

Thiebe, for Singapore and Bombay. Namoa, for Coast Ports. Strathleven, for Saigon. Apenrade, for Saigon. Marie, for Hairliong.

Moskie tor Nagasaki. N. S. de Loreto, for Amoy and Manila. Hailour, for Coast Ports. Albany, for Saigon. Taisang, for Swatow and Shanghai. Kwang Lee, for Shanghai.

MEMOS FOR TO-MORROW.

Auctions. 2.30 p.m.-Auction of Honochold Furniture at Mesers Apoar Brothers'

Amusements. 9 pm. - Porformance at the City Hall

WINES AND SPIRITS.

BY APPOINTMEST.

WATSON & Co., (ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.) HONGKONG.

WE invite attention to the following old landed Brands all of which are cellent quality and good value for the money. The same being specially selected by our London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best growths at moderate go In ordering it is only necessary to

state the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit wanted, and initial letter for quality Orders through Local Post or by Telegram receive prompt attention. Per Dard mus, from Liverpool, Messrs

PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.) Case. Per Bot. A Alto Douro, good quality, \$10 \$1.00 Green Capsule . . . B Vintage, superior quality, Red Capsule U Fine Old Vintage, superior

quality, Black Seal Cap-D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsulo (Old Bottled) 18

SHERRIES A Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule. B Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule 7.50 0.75 O Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule . 10 CO Superior Old Dry, Pale

Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule . D Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old Wine, White Seal Capsule 12 E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality. Black Seal Capsule (Old

Clark; for Marseilles, Mr A. Maccallum, L'Abbé Wallen, L'Abbé Feau, Mesara A. Philippe, S. Neal, R. Fraser, H. E. Van der. 1 doz. -3 doz. Quarts. Pints. THE story told in the Daily Press about Pot (Minister), and Mrs Van der Pot, Mr C. Wagen, Mr and Mrs Hudson, and Mr CLARETS. A cure rim Breakfast Claret, Per Kong Beng, from Bangkok, Mr D Red Carsule B St. Estephe, Red Capanic. Per Falkenburg, from Saigon, 24 Chinese. C St. Julien . . . 11 12.00

Bottled)

D La Rose Per doz. Case. Per Bol Per Namoa, for Amoy, Mr Chas, D. Harman ; for Foochow, Mr M. W. Greig, BRANDY. A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red Mr Siemssen, Mr and Mrs Schönfeld, and Capsule . . . \$12 \$1.10 B Superior Very Old Cognac, Per General Werder, for Yokohama Red Capsule . .

from Hongkong, Messrs Tong A Shang, Tong Kan Yen, R. M. Mehta, H. Pol-C Very Old Liqueur Cognac, lak, R. A. Pollak, Mr and Mrs Chan Red Capsule D Hennessy's Finest Very Old Kam Ting and child, Messrs B. Lay-Liqueur Cognac, 1872 ton, Ching Kai Cheong, Ching Koy Vintage, Red Capsule . 24 2.00 Hen and child, Wah Tau, Mrs Chang and child; from Bremen, Mr Albert Müller; SCOTCH WHISKY. A Thorne's Blend, White from Genca, Mr Richard Boyes, and Dr. Capsule B Watson's Glenorchy Mol-Per Neckar, for Shanghai : from Honglow Blend, Blue Capsule, kong. Messas P. Lieder, W. S. Davis, Mrs

with Namo and Tende S. H. Davis, Mr W. S. Davis, Jr., Misses M. H. Davis, E. C. Davis, T. B. Davis, Mark, Q Watson's Abelour-Glenlivet, Mesers Chen Wing Pau, Ton Hon Man. Red Capsule, with Name Mrs James Hill, and Mr J. J. Keswick D Watson's H K D Blend of from Bremen, Mr C. Desler; from Antwerp, the Finest Scotch Malt Mesers C. van Daalen Wettets, Fritz Rippe, Whiskies, Violet Cap-Thomas Gibson and Robert Neilson; from Genoa, Mr Liu Hai Ting; from Brindisi, E Watson's Very Old Liquett

Scotch Whisky Gold Cap-Per N. S. de Loreto, for Amoy, 4 Chinese. Per Hailoung, for Swatow, 300 Chinese. irish whisky. A John Jameson's Old, Green Per Taisang, for Swatow, 62 Chinese. Per Kurang Lee, for Shanghai, 12 Euro-Capanle B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capanie.

O John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule GENUINE BOURSON WHISKY, fine old, Red Capsule, The British steamer Sikh reports: Had GIN. A Fine Old Tom, White Cap-The British steamer Port Jackson reports: Had fine clear weather and smooth sea B Fine Unsweetened, White

The British barque Tarapaca reports: C Fine A. V. H. Geneva. Had light winds S.E. to S.W., and fine RUM. Finest Old Jamaica, Violet The British steamer Thibet reports : Experienced light winds and fine weather Good Leeward Island \$1.50 per Gallon.

Liqueurs. Benedictine Maraschine -Heering's Cherry Cordial Curacoa Chartreuse Dr. Siegert's Angostura Butters, &o.

FIRE AT THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

THE Upper Floors of our Stanley Street fine weather and moderate winds throughby FIRE EARLY THIS MORNING. The DAMAGE will not materially interfere with our local business. The SODA WATER FACTORY and PLANT are intact and the Manufacture o'Clock THI MORNING as usual.

AERATED WATERS commenced at The DISPANSARY and GENERAL STORE have not been affected by the fire. and BUSINESS will be transacted as usual A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED Hongkoor, May 19, 1: 90.

The publication of this issue commenced

The China Ithil. HONGKONG, TUESDAY, MAY 20, 1890.

TILEGRAN'S

SUPPLIED TO THE ! CHINA MAIL

(Via Southern Line.)

THE SILVER BILL LONDON, May 18. The Debate on the Silver Bill continue

Per Thilet, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS LAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVIL LE. BRISBANE, SYDNEY & MEL-Per Menmuir, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday,

ENGLAND AND PORTUGAL. LONDON, May 18. Lord Saliabury declares the Zambesi and to we lattended as it deserved to be, con-Shiré countries to be international ways and sidering the merits of the players and the that there is no question of negotiating worthy object on behalf of which they with Portugal regarding stoppage of vessels, I performed. The Acting Governor set a

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Passed Stre Canal.

2: Preussen, 6: Sarpedon, 9.

Friday, 23rd May. Vancouver for Japan, &c., on the 12th talent which the Mummers possess.

The C. N. Co.'s new s. s. Nanchang, from Glasgow, left Singapore on the 13th 20th May. The D. D. R. new s. s. Electra left Singapore on the 15th May, and may

The Glen Line s.s. Glenskiel, from London left Singapore on the 16th May, and may be expected here on or about the THE German steamer Trains reports having

passed this morning a wreck 5 miles South-

West from Gap Rock. MESSRS Butterfield & Swire inform us that the O. S. S. Co.'s s. s. Menelaus, from Liverpool, left Singapore yesterday afternoon from a battery of field guns under the for this port.

THE new pier at Kuwloon Point opened for public traffic yesterday, but the forry launch-owners do not seem to wake vanced in line. The Highlanders were in Per Case. Per Case. up to the fact.

> breach of prison discipline is a pure invention-and of the worst possible taste. MESSES Siemssen & Co. inform us that the British steamer Hankow, from London, left Singapore for this port yesterday, and

may be expected here on or about the 25th

the prisoner Popow being whipped for

MR E. W. Maitland, Hon. Treasurer of the Day :-Alice Memorial Hospital, begs to acknowledge receipt of the num of \$100 for the funds of the Hospital from His Excellency | will move the Hon. Francis Fleming, the Officer Administering the Government.

THE Band of the A. & S. Highlanders will play the following programme at the Offi-0.75 cers' Mess this evening, commencing at

0.75 March Victoria Regina Goodban. Valae Mirabel ... Fantasia Maritana Wallace.

During the night of the 18th institute were stolen from the treasure room of the a.s. Diamante while the vessel was in the financial difficulties. It is also rumoured harbour here. The key of the tressure-room had been left hanging in the Chief Officer's room, and had been made use of by the thief, who has not yet been discovered.

with Name 10 1.00 | WE would remind our readers of the pe formance of Hudson's Surprise Parly to-4.50 0.40 morrow evening at the Theatre, City Hall. As the Company leave by the French mat on Thursday, they are only able, we are sorry to say, to give one performance. The great popularity they enjoyed during their recent visit should susure a crowded house. A big programme is promised.

THE Indian constable, Ranget Singh, who was charged with receiving bribes from some boarding-house people while on duty at the Canton steamboat wharf, was to-day brought before Mr Wodehouse in the Police Court. His Worship WAREHOUSE were DESTROYED finding the charge proved imposed a fine of \$100, with the alternative of three mouth, imprisonment. The fine was not paid.

THERE is a reasonable complaint in the

Extremo Oriente sgainst those ladies and gentlemen who go to the R. C. Cathedral on Sundays riding in chairs, for making use of the narrow entrance to the West instead of that to the East leading from Wa (Shangkat Asserting) here that the German Bank has concluded a loan of The 923 the new Gardens. The western entrance seems to have been made axclusively for with Chang yao, the Governor of Shape pedestrians, and if this were borne in mind fung, and abother for a similar amount many inconveniences on all sides would be Telegraph Administration, on a like basis. avoided. If the policeman detached for in neither case was an imperalizated onduty in the church compound allowed nu taund, sou the losus had been in the chairs to pass the marrow entrance, be would receive the thanks of the poor pedes- The Mongket Marches Thulan por

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the Balkans mensoing peace. He also deolared that a complete agreement had been at the Land we Live in Hotel to the apcome to between England and Italy, and plosal's perhew Laydor Sibermain, There is a complete agreement of the plosal's perhew Laydor Sibermain, There is a complete an object of the property of the complete agreement in the complete perhew is a complete perhaps of the complete perhaps and the complete perhaps and

THE Military Mummers entertainment in the City Hall on Saturday evening was not

pity that it was not better followed. A sparsely occupied house furnishes but a Oprwish Bound + Balcaryes Brook, April poor incentive to good setting, and the 'I Pembrokeshire, 15; Bighfield, 18; Mummers might be easily excused if they Electra, 22; Menelaus, 29; Telamon, did not come quite up to the standard May 2; Frigge, 6 Prometheus, Pa- which they have recently attained on the boards of the Garrison Theatra Chisel-HOMEWARD BOUND :- Tetan, March 25; ling, the farce with which the enter-Wismar 28; Merionethabire, April 18; tainment opened, fell somewhat fist. Ludia, 22; Carmarthenshire. Glenavon, Mr Dade as Dr Stonegrop and Mr Greatock Pekin, Stentor, 29: Ayax, Medusa, May as Trotter seemed to have fairly well caught the spirit of the piece, but the seting of the others was somewhat mechanical. H. J. he M.M. Co. a steamer Caledonien with the Byron's comedy Unice went much better French mail of April 18, left Saigon and was really very enjoyable. Mr J. C. on Sunday, May 18th, at Noon, and Watson gave an excellent account of the may be expected here on or about part of Uncle Bootle with which he made a Wednesday, the 21st May. This decided hit. Mr Greatock as Paul Beaupacket brings replies to letters despat mont and Mr Hunt as Peter Welchier were ched from Hongkong on March 12. about equally meritorious. Mrs. Hackett the P. M. S. S. Co.'s a. s. City of Rio de played the part of Mrs Beaument very Janeiro, with the American Mail of cleverly. As Emily Montrose, Mrs. II E. April 28th, left Yokohama on Batur. Watson was not so successful as the day, the 17th May, at daylight, and usually is, and Mrs Kieller was hardly may be expected here on or about demonstrative enough as Sarah Jone On the whole, however, the performance of the The Canadian Pacific s. s. Batavia left comedy gave strong proof of the dramatic

THE Queen's Birthday was calebrated in Hongkong yesterday in the usual orthodox May, and is due here on or about the fashion. The men-of-war of all nationalilies and some of the merchant vessels were dressed, and the customary Royal salute expected here on or about the 21st was fired at noon. In the afternoon there was the usual military parade. which was witnessed by a large wowd, among those present being the Hoppo of Canton. The troops, on entering the enclosure, were formed into line to receive Major-General Edwards, who, accompanied by his staff, arrived shortly after five o'clock. About lifteen minutes afterwards His Excellency the Acting Governor arrived and was roceived with the general talute. The usual few-de-joie was then fired, consisting of twanty-one rounds charge of gun lascars, and three rounds by the troops forming the line. This was followed by three ringing cheers for Her Majesty. Thereafter the troops formed into companies, marched past and then adkilts, with white isovers and belmets, the Engineers, and Artillery, and the Sikhi being in their ordinary summer uniform. After the parade a Te Deum service was held at the R. C. Cathedral. His Excellency the Acting Governor and a large number of residents attended. In the evening a ball was given at Government House, the grounds of which were illumi pated. The arrangements were well adapted to suit the convenience of the guests, of whom there was a pretty large number.

> THE Legislative Council meets on Friday next. The following are the Orders of the

1. Report of the Finance Committee 2. Honourable the Attorney General That the Council adopt the Report

of the Special Committee appointed to

Frame New Standing Rules and Or-3. Honourable P. Ryrie, purauant to notice. will ask the following questions :-(1:) If the Executive will furnish the Council with any information in regard to the reported defacation in the

Money Order Department of the Co-(2) If it is the intention of Government to take any steps in regard to the celebration of the Jubilee Day of the foundation of the Colony 4. Committee on the Magistrates Bill.

A rorgion loan for Japan is freely spoken

of as the only means of relief from her

that an offer has already been received from a foreign capitalist to purchase redemption bonds to the amount of \$10,000,000. We hear that Mr Bibby continues to coustder the indications at Raub highly favourable and that in making the drives which

he has commenced be hopes to get confirmatten of his favourable complete. Single-THE Contone Carette for the first quarter of 1890 has just been published. The total dues and duties received for the quarter at the nineteen treaty ports were Hk. Tls. 3.984 139. sgainet The 3.793.897 in 1889. and Tis. 4.349 668 in 1888. The revenue

at Kowloon shews a gradual decline, and

at Lappa a gradual advance, during the past

inree years. Vicercy Chang Chih-tung's new cotton mill plant has arrived at Wuchnog per steamer Kwongchang, but there is such a lot of machinery that the Chinese are greatly puzzled over the different parts and the usme of each. No doubt they will endeavour to invent new Chinese names for the different s ctions and parts.

In a subsequent lamb our contemporary says .- We hear that Mr Kinder and Mi Cor feft Newchwang source days ago to commence the survey of the vallway through Manchuria to Kirio. A large abody of Chipese officials, escerted by soldiers, left some days before to prepare the way for

4.000,000, on a gold lissis, at 6 per cent: with Shang Lactar on benalt of The Chineses. market for some time.

trians, besides a vaiding many accidents. Septembers writing canades class 10th a constraint services of the periods a constraint has been received a period of the periods a constraint parties and the period of the periods and the periods are periods. Charp two applications were medicated that hared! under the protection of France out to protect of publicate lossos seculi. Charge 16 the section of the sec

killed on the Newchwang was that by the Dake of Connaught the Grand Star of the captain socidentally. The man was a good Chrysanthemum and on the Duchess the lie engaged in discharging the cargo.

champagne was drunk at these jolly feasts, enjoyed themselves. A native paper says the bosts only provided their fair guests tabi, and all the other items of a Japanese that is going the round of Penang.

instant, that Mr. F. V. Samuele sold the vented from doing so by some unexplained wreck of the Ocean S. S. Ulusses as she cause. This is of course, and rightly, down for \$29,400. The cargo, which was less comfortable, less wholesome, and less entrance is from a passage leading from comedians. - Yours. afterwards sold, fetched 88,000, and six becoming than their own. boats \$16, making a handsome total of

This certainly looks like business.

On the arrival of the Oceanic at San Fran- obscures its true character. Such al theme cisco on her last trip across from Yokohama, is worthy of the greatest poet, and perhaps the body of a Japanese was found under its successful treatment is possible to a poet circumstances that point to a most painful only. The world waits for something of the and miserable death. The body was dis- kind. Tennyson, in the beautiful but inexcovered on top of the cargo immmediately pressibly sad utterances of his old age, presunder one of the hatches on the orlop deck, ches a philosophy hard of scceptance. He where the man, evidently a cargo coolic, bids us believe that the farther we pass behad either stowed himself away, or fallen youd the range of physical emotion and the asleen and been shut in when the hatches more insensible we become to the impulses were put on. He had been driven by of the flesh, the closer are we to the ideal hunger to devour part of the contents of a state which all should straggle to reach. chest of tea, to which he obtained access; | Such a doctrme cannot satisfy humanity. and had also eaten or tried to eat portions There is a false note in it, out of harmony of his clothing. After the fourteen days with the strongest instincts that accompany voyage the body was in an advanced state us from birth to death. If the Poet Lau-

Apvices from New South Wales, report want of the age, and apply himself to bridge that unprecedentedly heavy rains had taus. lover the chasm widening so rapidly between ed widespread havon there, thousands of civilized men and the landmarks to which persons being rendered destitute. In the they once clung blindly and tensciously, Western district, the rivers, especially at But Tennyson has not time for such a task Bourke where several streams meet, have on this side of the grave, and it may be that overflowed their banks for miles. There he lives too much in the past to appreciate the people kept the advancing flood at bay like urgency of the present's need. The for days by embankments, which at last love that saw Buddhism as Buddhists themcould not hold out any louger, and the selves had not seen it, may have penetrated water broke through every obstacle. By to the immost soul of Christianity also, and last accounts from Bourke even hotels have the pen that in the 'Light of Asia' won for been inundated, two of which have been the Oriental creed the love and reverence completely wrecked. Over two thousand of all civilized men, may succeed in accompeople have been rendered homeless by the plishing the same end for Christianity. If disaster, and it is estimated that it will cost | so, the work will be well called the Light the Government over one hundred thou- of the World, and its birth in Japan will sand pounds in effecting repairs to public | confer no small honour on this beautiful

THE indement in the action brought by F. Samuels ngainst Joseph Manuel Mur for 85,000 damages for libel contained in s letter alleged to have been written by the defendant to Admiral Belknap, charging the complainant with card sharping, was de-E. J. Smithers, Judge, and Messrs, W. E. Drummond and Colgate Baker, Associates. evidence that the defendant wrote or published the letter in question, and evidence as to handwriting had failed to

THE Peking correspondent of the Shanghai Road and Stabley Street, were poured Brokers were as black as they are painted? (Martini Henry).... | 500 0.50254255

Martini Henry | 600 0.50254255 Mercury writes on the 6th inst. as follows: on the burning building. The fire engines Is it not, Fir, a fact that the have Bri kers -It is freely stated here that the Tsung-li arrived shortly afterwards and the flames without a single exception have faced and

Vicesor Li Hung-chang has memorialised burn for three hours more, the large community to the present quirous one tin of butter from Tal Sing, compradore, the Throne that the late Marquis Teerg's quantity of goods stored owing to their com- financial collapse. Why should we who on presenting a forced order purporting to 10 a.m. public works may be recorded and k pt in | bustible nature affording excellent food are heavy sufferers by the recent gembling be signed by Mr N. J. Robinson | and with | the Government archives. The Emperor for the flames. The fire is supposed to mania have to bear this infamous stigma ! having endeavoured to obtain from the in an Imperial Decree, dated the 24th of here broken out at the back of a closed up I at any rate protest against this outrage on same shop and in the same way on a subscthis moon, orders the proper officials to door facing Stanley Street. Mr Talbot, a respectable body of men whose probity quest occasion 16 tins of milk, one tin of take note of Vicercy Li's communication the Secretary of Messes A. S. Watson & is unassailable. and see that it is carried out. The Emper- Co. Ewho was roused by the reflection Why has not the press the courage to The prisoner pleaded not guilty. or further recognises the services rendered of the fire on the houses in the opposite state the truth, the real cause of this col. The Attorney General (Hon. W. M. to the country by the deceased diplomat, side of the street, and gave the alerm to lapse of Hongkong! You know as well as Goodman) said the prisoner was a ricksha Vicercy Li Bung Chang. At the dinner Main, bruised on the num, severe cut on and mentions that he was once a member the other members of the establishment, we do that our business has been ruined and coolie in the employ of Mr N. J. Robinson of the Board of Revenue, member of the says he heard what seemed to him an ex- that the colony has been deliberately and and was dismissed on 6 h April last. Tsung li Yamen, also Minister Plenipoten plosion, and he thinks the fire may be traced ruthlessly beggared now and for years to While he was in Ar Robinson's service he man of the Council presided. On his Dr. E. Faber, cut about the face, severe; tiary to foreign countries, and furthermore from the gas meter at the back of this come by those enterprising individuals sit. had on some occasions been tent to the helped to frame the rules and regulations blocked-up door. Quite close to this ting in high places who, taking the tide at its compradore's shop for provisions. On 6th for the new Board of Admiralty, which door there is a lift running from the flood, have floated thereon dezens f compa. May, a month after he was dismissed, he were admirably carried out. All these basement to the top of the building nies by only calling up a few do lars per went to the shop and produced a forged H. B. M. Consul, proposed the health offices are to be recorded, and an honorary with a staircese winding round the well share at first, and hen quietly, with their order for 15 tins of milk and one tin of the Emperor of China. The Viceroy in title to be given to the deceased Marquis, of the lift. Fire originating near the bot- friends, slipping out of their own shares of butter signed 'Robison,' Encouraged so that his records may be handed down to tom of this opening would naturally at an enormous tremium—created and by his success on this occasion, he return proposing, through his Secretary, the further generations. This is indeed a rush upward by the force of the cu ront of fostered by the force of the cu ront of foste unique soknowledgment of the services of sir generated. Another version is that the dividends-leaving the less fortu ate sented another for ged order for 16 time of this Chinese official.

Mengise gives the following account of the surrounding buildings are somewhat dam- decline to advance, because the concerns of a dozen bottles of atout. It had been mule-trains; The real ships and pilots of aged by water. The goods in Blessis are never likely to pay a decent dividend, ascertained by this time, however, that the our trade, which scale mountains and fur. Powell's back store, the roof of which is said. Is it not notorious that one local noble- first order was forged, and the people of the row plateaux, are, however, the mules and to be somewhat leaky, are much spoiled by man of Semitic extract on made \$70 000 or shop, being on the watch for him, had him muleteers, and a large fleet they are too, water. The Chinese and Indian shops more out of a certain company recently arrested.

with distinctive characteristics of their own. fronting Queen's Road, at the back of which referred to at length in your columns 1. After the evidence of Mr Robinson and them, are small in a ze, but hardy creatures, water, but the damage is not great, severely slone, but add insult o injury by the prisoner guilty on both counts. look disproportionally large on their dimin- value of the goods burned, but the loss will has out both his groney and his buriness on each count, the sentances to be conutive bodies they make a daily stage of 50 not be much under \$10,000. Measts by the insane speculation and dishomaty of current. to 76 li. When den rated with rotation of Watson & Co. are fully covered by insur- his clients. It would be easy to under-Turkey red and always bells, the leader fly. sance in the office of the Hongkong Fire stand this attitude had the brokers, ining the colours of his owner from short Insurance Co. [The above was given in an stead of their constituents, levented, but as Chan Fok was charged with Laving by sticks projecting from the bead gear, every | Katra lested yesterday afternoon.] matters are it is most unjust to make the fraud taken away a child of five y are from gong, they make a fine display. Their yesterday at the premises of Messrs Watson and it is now about time the brokers had a away the child for the purpose of stealing a by to give them their nounday meet on had been left in readiness to cope with any press give their readers an analysis of the with the largest of the silver anklet. supper in the same, with the goff for their buildreak took place at 1 p.m. and the of those thirteen millions of dollars shrink. Colony and which he regarded as a very ... plaus.).

Grand Star of the Orown. The Japanese press speak in high terms of the courtesy. During the stay of Stanley's Opera Com- and geniality of the royal visitors. Unpany in Ponang they were entertained fortunately the weather was not very almost nightly at supper by the young favourable during their Highnesses stay in bloods of the place. At first nothing but Japan, but they seem to have thoroughly Napier had intended to appear in the cos-

The arthor of the Light of Asia is en. 2 a.m. on the 19th I was on duty in Stanley gaged upon a new poem. It is to be called Street. When about forty feet from the THE Tientsin correspondent of the Shanghai the Light of the World. Already some | door of the Dispensary store I saw fire Mercury, writing on the 10th inst, says three thousand lines are written, we believe, coming out from the door. It burst out that the Vicercy La Hung-chang bes given and it is just possible that the work may be from the opening at the top of the door. a special passport to Mr Kinder of the Rail- concluded before Sir Edwin Arnold leaves. I at once blew my whistle. I tried to get way Cuy, his assistant surveyor and two Japan, where a period of quiet and leisure some assistance but could not, and I then deputies, to proceed at once into Mongolia has enabled him to put into connected form went to the station and made a report. to survey the railway line along the north- thoughts that have been with him for the had pas ed the house about three quarters ern frontier. We (Shanghai Mercury) learn | past twelve years. The purpose of the poem | of an hour before I saw the fire. I had only from well-informed local sources that Mr is to represent the scheme of Christianity turned into Stan'ey Street from Puttinger Kinder has received instructions from the as it was conceived by its immortal founder; Street the second time when I noticed Viceroy to proceed with all despatch to lo clear away the disfiguring and confusing the fire. There was no fire outside the Newchwang and thence towards the Russian | elements that have grown up about it in the | building. It was coming from the inside. frontier, and commence the survey at once. | course of half civilized centuries : to reconcile it with modern science, and to still the Terry of the Gas Co. to examine the meter, strife of dogma, superstition, and error that | which had been done, but it showed no in-

reate's powers were now at their maturity. it is probable that he would appreciate the

THE FIRE AT THE HONGKONG

country.—Japan Mail.

DISPENSARY. About five minutes to two c'clock on the 19th inst. a district watchman discovered livered at the U.S. Consular Court, at Kobe. | that the store in Stanley Street of the on the 12th inst., the Court consisting of Mr. Hongkong Dispensity was on fire. He ran to the Police Station and reported.

The Judge found that there was no direct and the alarm bells were rung. The flames had got a good hold of the upper part of the house, which is a large foursatisfy him, beyond a reasonable doubt, storey building running half-way towards that he wrote it, and in this opinion the As- Queen's Road, before the discovery was contract, as the responsible party, than the 2nd Stage. sociates concurred. Judgment must there- made. The Fire Brigade were speedi- name of the scinel buyer or seller, howfore be given for the defendant with costs. ly on the scene, and four streams of ever good the position of the latter may

Yamen has received a telegram from Russia | were attacked on all sides. The fire burned | paid the heavy losses imposed upon them to the effect that the latter country will very flercely for about an hour, and the ad- last year by unscrupulous operators? Can protect Korea if necessary, even against joining buildings were in considerable dan- you point out any Share-Broker who has China, and the statement has caused much ger. To the west of the store is the back part | escaped from the Colony to evade the debts excitement here amongst those behind the of Messrs Powell's establishment, while to heared upon him by reckless gamblers? scenes. Admiral Salmon and his family the cast is the large new building of the Have we not met our obligations like honorleave here to morrow for the Great Wall .- Hongkong Dispensary in course of erection, able men, impoverishing ourselves by pay. Just now the occupants of the British, Ger- with bamboo staging in front. The fire- ing losses caused by such men as Grimble man and Italian Legations are on the most men succeeded in confining the flames to and a d zen others? We have done intimate terms with each other, and the the one building, and of that build- so. Sir, and when we make our. other residents of Legation Street term this log they practically saved the base- scloss responsible for the due fulfilment the Triple Alliance. His Ex. von Brandt ment floor and the ground floor, of a contract, we will continue to do is the acknowledged leader of the triumvi. The three upper floors, which were stored so although we have to begger ourselves. tate Great preparations are being made with drugs of all sorts, were completely Is this the way scoundrels act? It is a R. Cottewall, James Gow, A. F. dos Kemefor the departure of Their Majesties and gutted. In the basement floor a large most unjust thing for a newspaper to dies, U. H. Rogge, J. A. Barretto and E. Court to the Yven Ming-yven (Summer stock of wines and spirits was stored, endeavour to lead the community to believe I Palace.) The road is being put in order | Had the flames spread so far downwards that we are responsible for the rockless and care prohibited crossing it. The the consequences would of course have been gambling of the past year. The tabid, departure of the Court is fixed for the 11th | most disastrous. By three o'clock all unfounded and senteless remarks made danger of the are apreading was over, but would induce an outsider to think that it Yun kwai this a coolie, was charged with aslammed of himself. The sentence was one the upper parts of the building continued to is the brokers who rgyed on the obtaining 15 tius of condens d milk and

fire began in the basement floor and that shareholders to stand the racket and be milk and one tin of butter, and this time

at the Magistracy into the circumstances are too tough and their pockets too well with the theft. thrown on its origin.

Queen's Road.

Ching Yu, district watchman, said-About

Inspector Gauld said he had asked M

dication of any explosion having occurred. Mr Talbot, re-called, said-We have no i idea ourselves of how the fire took place. Since the fire I have examined the premises basement floor. There is nothing to show where the fire originated, but there is not the least doubt that it started on the Stunley Street level. There is no sign of its having originated on the basement floor. There is no sign of fire on the bas ment floor at all, except the debris that fell down the well of the lift. The well was cased with wood from top to buttom. The whole of the wooden casing of the well and the staircase surrounding it is burned. Around the outside of the lift on the lasement floor there were some empty, packages and a case of bottles of oil. I can't say whether these are burned as the place is full of

At this point his Worship adjourned the inquiry for a week, in order that an inspection of the buildings might be made,

CORRESPONDENCE.

A BROKER'S PROTEST. Thou hast no speculation in those eyes. Which thou dost glare with. -MACBETH. To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.' Hongkong, 19th May, 1890.

Sir.—We have now become so accus- pended :tomed to being char crerised, especial y in the columns of one of your contemporaries, as rogues for whom hanging is too good, that the remarks made by Brownie ' anent Share-Brokers, in your Saturday's issue come upon us as a delightful surprise, and

rock in a weary land. It must be a matter for surprise to many Mr F. G. Collins. (200 4442449354 members of the community who number sharebrokers among their personal friends that the attacks made on their profession are not resented. The community are told that Share-Brokers are unprincipled scoundrels; and yet I am not going Mr C. Ford . beyond the mark in saying that oper- (Martin Henry) ... (800 4443414814 ators would far rather have the names let Stage (600 246250252 of any of these so-called roundrels on a water, obtained from mains in Queen's be. Would this to the case if Share-

Mr T. H. Talbot scorotary to Messrs Sir; turn on the man who did your able child. Watson & Co., gave a description of the leader on the Land Investment Company; An officer of the Po Leung Kuk stated give him a file of prospectuses and re- that he arrested the prisoner on board's junk Cheung Yik Paisaid-Tam godown keeper ports, shut him up for a week, with instruct that was just about to start for sau Li. but on the last two or three occasions, cush that the Duchess, delighted with the Japa- in the employ of Mesers Wat on & Co. tions to commence with say, Punj me. Inspector Hennessy stated that the silver being less plentiful and credit at a low ebb, ness coatume, procured a kimono, air obi, On 17th May at six p.m. I was in the The mismansgement of this Company ought anklet produced was found on the person ling.) building when one of the coolies was put- to blood him with a vengeance, and he of the prisoner when he was brought to with shandigaff. Such at least is the yarn lady a dress when in Kyoto, and that her ting out the gas. I could not see if all the will then be eager to you his quarry to the station. Royal Highness and the Honourable Mrs | gas was turned out when I shut the door for | carth, even to the bottom of a coal mine : the night. All the gas in the basement and in the meantime t'e broker, who is guilty on the first and third counts. WE learn, from the Hyogo News of the 5th 12me of the country, had they not been pre- floor was turned off. I asked the cools if now picking up a precurious living (and an it was all turned out and he said it was, uncomfortable one since the chairs in the I then locked the door. Nobody sleeps Hongkong Hotel have been removed), will now lies at Koshims. Miwazaki, by auction quoted as an evidence that the ladies of paide the godown. All the windows were perhaps get a rest until the nixt pantomine. on Saturday, the 3rd inst. After some Japan had better retain their own fashions, closed from the inside. The Stanley when I suppose the same state old gage the vessel was knocked intend of going abroad for a style of dress Street door was always kept locked. The re brokers will be reproduced by our local

A DECADE BROKER.

NO WATER. To the Editor of the 'CHINK MAILS

Hongkong, 20th May, 1890. Sin,-I am a householder of a good many -unnecessary to mention how many-years' standing, endoavouring to the best of my ability to live within the limits of the ten commandments, trying to love my neighbour (and his wife) as myself, and struggling, in spite of adverse times and a water famine, to punctiliously discharge duties as a taxpayer. In exchange for rendering unto Co ar the things that are Casar's.' I am supposed to be supplied, among other things, with water; but the reigning Cosars apparently do not seem to consider it any part of their present duties to provide taxpayers with that useful element. If there is an Aquarius attached to the .P. W. D., which presumedly there is, he is apparently either absent or shirking then the man who was with the prisoner as far as possible. I have examined the his duties. Instead of now revelling in the use of the promised fifteen gallons per head per day. I have to content myself with a supply which, used with economy, about fornishes a bath twice in the twenty-four hours to my pet Canary bird; and as this state time to come. I hope the Government in justice to conscientious householders may see fit to discontinue the water rates, until such time as they are in a position to to make his escape. The prisoner afterimplement their part of the contract. It reflects no great amount of lustre on the also wrested from him. Executive that, after delays repeated ad nauseum and the expenditure of over a million and a quarter of dollars, so far as the public are concerned, the result to date is seemingly little better than a system of 'broken cisterns that can hold no water, and pipes without power of distribution.

Begging on behalf of myself and fellowsufferers, that you will be good enough to give publicity to this aqueous effusion. —I remain, your obedient servant.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

The 9th competition for the Kwoon Kwan Yeen Chadenge Cups terminated on Saturday last. Mr E. L. Woodin, (800: 8454445555 (Match Rifle) 500 855554155 1st Stage 600 555:555555 (700 042:55445558505 --- 80 are as refreshing as the shadow of a great 2nd Stage \$600 885 55885446450 ---68 900 846544685558545 --65 600 4022452242 (700. 4459 53358**5**545 2nd Stage 800 393245508598340 (900 50644828485\$203 -48 (700 031063054303034 --- 80 800 534550504543350 -- 58 9.0 602033458335805 -44 (700 230800480500205 800 84500035854813. ---15 800.002822000600800

SUPREME COURT IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS, (Before His Honour Mr Fielding Clarke. Acting Chief Justice.

Tuesday, May 20.

The monthly Criminal Sessions opened to day. The following gentlemen were

DETAINING GOODS WITH LORGED ORDERS

walk about amongst us with a smug grin, will silver solklet which the child wore had whose brilliant military talents came first says :-

The jury unanimously found the prisoner Sentence was deferred.

Fong Li was gharged with stealing a child of six years on the 10th inst. The Attorney General said this case was similar to the last one. The child was playing in the street when the prisoner took it away. The police were informed of the matter and the result was that the prisoner was found on board a passenger junk with the child, both of them being in the same bunk. Th prisoner on being accested by agpolice constable said the child was his own. The jury found the prisoner guilty, and he was sentenced to two years' hard labour

SHOOTING AT A POLICE CONSTABLE, Police Constable Green at Taikoktsui on the 28th April, with intent to do him grievous bodily herm. The prisoner pleaded not

The Attorney General said the complainant Constable Green, was on duty at Taiabout eight o'clock he met the prisoner and another man on the road, each of them carrying a bundle. He stopped them and asked what they had in their bundles. Just struck the constable. The constable seized the prisoner. Astruggleensued in which the prisoner and the constable fell to the ground. The other man began to kick and beat the constable, while the prisoner drew revolver which he fired, the bullet grazing things promises to continue for some the policeman on the temple and coming out through his cap. The policeman wrested the revolver from the prisoner and fired at the other man who was then trying wards drew another revolver which was

gave ovidence. The jury uranimously found the prisoner guilty, and he was sentenced to ten years'

AN ABDUCTION CASE. Chu Tak was charged with abducting a guitty, and the following gentlemen were sworn as a jury : Messrs K. G. R. Brodersen, A. G. V. Kibeiro, S. A. Joseph, M. H. Michael, P. G. Kribbe, P. I. Gutierrez, and F. W. Colling.

The Attorney General said the prisoner was charged with the misdemeanour of ab-The four best scores are an ducting a girl of 14 from thee tre of those who were in authority over her, contrary to section 49 of Ordinance 4 of 1865. The father of the girl was a 6--took him away from home, the girl being left under the care of the mother. She was the eldest of three girls and worked in a matbag shop, where the prisoner was in the habit of calling. The girl disappeared -- 187 327 from her mother's house on the 8th of April, and a search was being made i covered her in a house in Hollywood Road where she was living with the prisoner. She refused to leave the prisoner when her mother asked her to do so, and ultimately the matter was placed in the hands of the willingly went with the prisoner, but that

the afternoon of the 5th April, who took her to a house in Hollywood Road, where

In the examination of this witness by the prisoner the fact came to light that another girl younger than the one in quis jon also lived with him at the same time, and that all three occupied the same skeping place. The jury unanimously found the prisoner

His Lordship characterised the offer.co as a cowardly one and said the prisoner was a rear's imprisonment with hard labour. The Court adjourned till to-merrow at

SPEECH BY VICEROY LI HUNG CHANG.

A NEW Town Ball for the Tientsin Munigiven on the occasion. Mr Detring, Chairright was the Viceroy and on his left Col. Danby U. S. Minister. Mr Brenan, reigns and chiefs of state of the different the noise Mr Talbot hoard was the fall of come namperised by having to pay calls on he seem d to think it necessary to have countries represented in the company. The residents in the locality did Ma & P. Happer, Jr., in his Report from the lift on the rope being burned. The shares against which the banks muturally some little additional luxury in the shape Vicercy was presented with an address, to all they could to assist the sufferers. We which he replied as follows :-

the provided state and the principal marte of the manufacture of strated values and generally few who complains the principal state and the principal marter of the manufacture of the m teral agent have also not been affected by have impressed the community (and whom child in the street and on being threatened. Which we are assembled in to be manifed even what the

Ir appears that the Chinaman who was THE Emperor of Japan conferred on the the fire and business is being transacted as I could enumerate on my fingers) and who with arrest the prisoner can away. A after a distinguished friend of my own. (Loud applause).

May this Hall, which I now declare open, ba a lasting memorial of Gordon's connection with China! (Loud and continued cheer-

COLLAPSE OF A PLATFORM AT SHANGHAI.

MANY MISSIONARIES INJURED. The Shanghai Mercury of 16th inst. savs The Missionary Conference narrowly escaped ending in a catastrophe. One of the strangest accidents that ever occurred in Shanghai will be associated with the Conference of 1890. It had been arranged that the entire Conference, numbering some four hundred and fifty persons, should be phot graphed together before dispersing again to their widely separated fields of labour; and we believe that it was original-Iv intended that the photographs would be aken to-morrow. But it was afterwards found that many of the missionaries had to leave Shanghai to-day or to morrow, and the time was changed to this afternoon after tiffin, when the entire Con-Fing Lin was charged with shooting at ference; proceeded to Saunders! Compound, in the middle of which a high bamboo platform, consisting of six or seven tiers, with planked standing places. had been erected, by Mr. Delorme, the of writing. photographer who had the contract. This structure was about 18 or 20 feet high, and koktsui on the night of 23th April, and certainly from the first presented a most rickety and unsteady appearance, unsupwhich the poles were tied together. It had Constable Green and two other witnesses in focus upon the large group, the largest | tered so as to avert the casualty. The

left-hand side, collapsed like a birdcage doned by him until all hope of either saving under a heavy weight. Never was such an hir or the cargo had to be given up. girl fourteen years of age. He pleaded not exciting scene witnessed in the history of The Court is not satisfied that directions the Model Settlement, and the strange had been given to the Third Officer, who silence, which marked it, made it the more | was on watch at the time of the casualty, terrifying to the ontookers in the houses in to call the Master at 11 o'clock, but it is of the compound and on the grass plot. Not a opinion that this officer should be cautioned shrick was raised by one of the two hundred | to pay more attention to written night order ladies who were thrown to the ground in the in the future; and he is hereby cautioned promiscuous confusion, and a great mass of accordingly. On the other hand this officer humanity. frightened, shaken but silent, appears to have kept a good watch, and the atruggled on the ground for a moment or twe. orders given by him, immediately on the That many were not killed is a mystery. Those on the top tiers mostly were thrown per. well forward and most escaped with slight The Court further considers that the injuries. Those on the lowest tier, who conduct of all the officers and of the crew had a second or two of warning rushed out generally, and especially of the engine-room when the structure began to collapse, but staff, subsequent to the casualty, in deservthe people in the middle rows fell together | ing of high praise; and it desires to place in a confused mass. A dozen or so went on record its sense of the assistance renderdown between the bamboos, a hundred or for her when her mother accidentally dig. more fell forward together in a orowd, the locality, and especially of the readmens. topsy-turvey. The projecting ribs and with which they at once responded, on a sticks of the imbrellas formed another element of danger by the eyes of the unfortunate people thus suddenly placed in danger of the most unexpected kind. The photopolice. The girl herself stated that she grapher stood beside his camera, speechless deposited in Court be returned to their with horror, unable to collect his faculties | several owners. did not exculpate the prisoner. In order and forgetful of his profession in which an The expenses of the Court are fixed at to prove the prisoner guilty it was not accident had given him an unique charce fifteen pounds twelve shillings, and apnecessary to show that he took away the for an instantaneous picture, which would proved. girl against her own will but against the have made his name, and compensated him will of her parents under whose charge she for the less which the disaster otherwise caused him. The victims of the accident The girl in her evidence stated that be an quickly to pick themselves up and it was arranged two months before assist each other, and it was seen with this that she was to go and live delight and surprise that no one was killed with the prisoner. She asked him to let Some of the ladies fainted after the thing her live with him, and said she was over, many showed cuts and breises on would follow him. He said 'Very well, I their f ces and the clothes of many were will take you. He sent a friend for her in | torn. One or two were found too badly hurt to rise without assistance. An

alized, and hats, bonnets and umbrelles had I been recovered, the members of the Conference regained their composure and some one called out for a hymn to be sung, and all with one accord, many authoring from severe injuries, joined in the thankful strains of the D vology. The injured of whom there were between 30 and 40, were hastily attended to by the many medical were carried to their hemes or tem oraty. resting places in finricalias. Upon inquiry bone and rib; Mrs. James Dalziel, very pounds. much bruised and suffering from shock; cibality was opened a fortnight ago by Mr. Rudland, severely shaken; Mrs. Dr. the nose ; Mrs. Cardwell, slightly bruised Plymouth. Mr. Hayes, Soochow, arm badly sprained; Mr Fitch, sprained foot; Miss Knight, ... bruised about body; Mrs. Judson, Hangchow, cut on head and very much shaken; Miss Young, badly shaken and nervously There was no Polceman to be seen for the place in great numbers and caused great

difficulty to those trying to carry the injurvisited the so ne of the accident immediately afterwards, and the wratchedly inade-I return thanks for the address presented quate construction of the collapsed platform to me by the Chairman of the Municipal was then very apparent; not one of the bam- O Council of the British Settlement, and I boos was more than 3 ins. in diameter, and thank the Council and community for the no precautions to keep the structure in po- O The males, and not a few points alone also suffered from the The critics leave these company found opportunity given me of assisting at this sition, by stays, etc., had been taken. We interesting deremony. The inspection of were informed that it was when the people Bearing burdens of 120 cattles, which often There has not yet been time to estimate the attacking the poor devil of a broker who He was sentenced to a year's hard labour this building has afforded me much pleas on the top began to move slightly so as to aure. It is strong and ornamental, and face the camera that the collapse came, r flects credit on those who designed and The bamboes were cut sharp at the ends, superintended its construction; it testifies which were driven a few luches into the lo to the foresight and good administration of soft ground. The number of umbrellas, of this sottlement; and is a proof of the small parcels, books, band bags, and crushadvantages derived from the people taking ed hats, etc. lying about would have sug- 10 five animals economical two turbaned comments we continually see in the parents on 15th April, an interest in their own affairs. (Applayee). gested that the contents of a general store and keeping pace to the top of a There were two fresh outbreaks of fire pers. Even the worm however, will turn, He was charged alternatively with taking. That foreigners appreciate what I have had been thrown out in a burry. Amateur been able to do, in my official capacity, photographers were quickly on the scene, G keep is very secondaries. On the road the and Co. in Stabley Street, where the large rest.

drivers seek a green spot with saler near fire occurred on Monday morning. A hose Let the enterprising members of the A third count glarged the prisoner simply wish and intention not only to make Cuins the centre of the compound. The name of gives me autislaction to hear, for it is my getting plates of the roins which filled up | 8 strong and respected, but also to cultivate the Chinese con rector responsible for the hatter's provender, supplemented with a danger of this kind, and in both cases the Companies floated during the last year, let The Atterney General said the prisoner friendly relations with the foreign hattons accident is not known to Mr. Delorme, but [7] few beaus of in land of the point was observed in gathing the their spare time to figure which be that come to us for purposes of trade, which the Police are looking for him. We have herded on enderly as voltred ground, their fames subdued in a few minutes. The first out how much the promoters have pucketed anderstood was somewhat common in this benefits all parties concerned. (Great ap- gut several personal narratives of the spei-Mali. As will be stem by our Table No. I second at I I pan. On the Latter occasion age you say has taken place since June serious officer to me also a great antisfaction ancerely-gled that the accident has suded dent, but too late to give to-night. We are b, the number of animum 12 car. Soming the starm belts were rung at the Central 1889, and then you will be able to give boy, was playing on the street when the print to observe during my tenere of office here an lightly as it has, for it was undoubtedly and improve that the relations between fureigness and due to the mercy of God that we have not a lightly as it has for it was undoubtedly the first position of Brigade threed some prefer to report to observe during my tenere of office here an lightly as it has for it was undoubtedly that the relations between fureigness and due to the mercy of God that we have not a lightly as it has for it was undoubtedly that the relations between fureigness and due to the mercy of God that we have not a lightly as it has for it was undoubtedly that the relations between fureigness and due to the mercy of God that we have not a lightly as it has the relations between fureigness and due to the mercy of God that we have not a lightly as it has a lightly as it provisce near the depretien in sear cloud. My sure Walter, that you have a plorious field not seen by the parents that day again. Continue unbroken. (Applant) distance of the Level Both River and before you as Heroulean lask, to which They reported the made upon me to declare have given, have all injuries,

The N.-Q. Daily News of 17th inst To day Mr Wodehouse held an inquiry not mind what you say one bit heir hides been stolen and the prisoner was charged into notice in connection with my own The accident that occurred at Saunders' campaigns and whose subsequent pure and Compound yesterday afternoon, caused by connected with the life but no light was filled. They have the money, and we Evidence in aupport of this statement noble career in other countries I followed the falling inward of the staging erected for have the experience. I herefore go abead, was given by the complainant and the members of the Miswhose premature loss I still deeply deplore. | sionary Conference for the purpose of being photographed, might have been very serious indeed, had it not been for the great prosence of mind of all who were present. Over three hundred people must have been on the staging at the time of the accident and these were all thrown forward to the ground in one indiscriminate mass. At five o'clock, three hours after the accident, the business committee could only find that injuries had been austained by the follow-

ing members of the Conference:— Mrs Jenkins, Amer. B.M., Heigo-Haing; (Collar bone and one rib broken). Mrs Burdon, Hongkong; (both ankles sprained).

Mr Dalz'el, Shanghai ; (severely bruised). Mrs Hayes, Spechow; (wrist seriously-Mrs Judson, Hangchow; (injuries on the head not likely to prove very serious).

Mrs Oardwell, Shanghai ; (aukle sprain-

Miss Knight and Mrs Cassells; (slightly Mrs Dr Main, Hangolow; (slightly in-

The physicians expect that the above mentioned will have a speidy recovery, and in the case of Mrs Jenkins, Dr Boone, who is in attendance on her, assures us that there are no serious injuries up to the time

THE WRECK OF THE ULYSSES. The following is the finding of a Marino ported, as it was, by any kind of stay or Court held at Kobe into the circumstances f stening beyond the frail binding with attending the less of the steamer Ulysses ;-The Court finds that the course set by been constructed by a Chinese carpenter the Master was such as might be expected who does odd jobs for Mr. Delorme, and by him to carry his vessel clear of the island was to cost some \$30 or \$35, we believe. of Oshima, and that though a dangerous Some of the missionaries seem to have had current undoubtedly exists in that neighmisgivings about its ability to support bourhood to which in this instance the unthe weight about to be put upon it, and fortunate loss of the vessel mu t be attriasked whether it was strong enough and buted, the Master had no knowledge of, or were assured that it was. They then as- means which it was his duty to avail him. conded the various tiers, to the number of rolf of of ascertaining its existence. The between three and four hundred, and even Court considers that it would have been then the structure showed signs of collaps- prudent for him to have been on dick earing, but the less timorous reassured the lier than 11 p.m.; but it does not appear at others that it was all right. The photo-, the same time that, even if he had been, grapher was just about to get his camera the course of the ship would have been aland one of the most interesting ever taken Court further finds that everything that in Shanghai. - when the frail platform, with | was proper and possible, and that could be its crowd of ladies, old and young, and expected from an experienced saman, was men of all ages packed close together, gave done by the Master subsequent to the a tremble and, leaning to the photographer's | casualty, and that the vessel was not aban-

vessel's striking, wore seamantike and pro-

ed and kindness shown by the Japanese in wet and stormy night, to the signals of distress made from the ship. The Court directs that the cortificates of the Master and Officers which have been

Joseph II. Longrond, President. -W. J. B. WATKINS. Master S. S. Hongkong THOMAS WOOD Master S. S. Kashgar. Hyogo, May 7th, 180) - Hyogo News,

<u>LATE TELEGRAMS</u>

London, 23rd April - According to a old lady lay on the left-hand site ap- telegram published this morning the Kolthe prisoner was and where she stayed with parently seriously injured, and was gently muche Zeitmer learns that the sentence of lifted out by many roudy liauds. | carle to Siberia against Colonel Soumids Two or three gentlemen by quite still has been increased to the penalty of death. after the others had picked them. The Freum Spring Meeting opened tosolves up, or wore by others lifted up. day. In the race for the Great Metropolitan When the foll extent of the damage was re- | Stakes the following was the result :---

The City and Suburban was run this afternoon and resulted as follows:---Rev d'Or (5 years)......1

London, 22nd April. -In the House of men in the ranks of the missionaries and Commons this evening the South Indian Railway Purchase Bill was passed. Sir John Gorst stated that the estimated we learned that amongst the mjured are actual saving to India by the passing of Mrs. Jonkins, of Shaoshing, broken collar this Act would be thirty-six thousand

Mr Surendranath Bannerjee opened the Congress Campaign in the provinces last evening, when he addressed a moeting at The public hall was filled by an attentive

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